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NORWAY AND VICINITY.

Schools Commence.
The fall term of the following schools will open Monday, Sept. 6:
Bethel - Mrs. Minnie A. Haskell, teacher.
Center - Sarah A. Freeman.
Pine - Adeline S. Brooks.
St. John - Mildred Holmes.
Middletown - Annie Gibson.
Noble - Elsie M. Foster.
Noble - Mildred L. Frost.
Noble - Hazel Foster.
Noble - Helen Howe.

Forty Odd Years Absent.

Capt. J. A. Brown, wife and daughter Ethel of Grand Rapids, Michigan are fast visiting friends. Capt. Brown was born on Grover Hill in Bethel and has been away from there about 40 years, living in the big furniture making city of the West.
For some years past he has been captain of the fire department of that city. He is a brother of N. F. Brown, the longwinded man of Bethel, and a classmate of W. W. Chandler, station agent at Norway, whom he is visiting here.
His father was Elijah Brown and his mother, Abigail (Swain) Brown. It has been eight years since he last came East and over 40 years since his last visit to Norway.

Base Ball.

Radcliffe vs. Mechanic Falls Saturday, Aug. 25, at the Fair grounds. Game at 2 p. m. This is the fifth game in the championship of Western Maine series. First game Radcliffe 1, Mechanic Falls, 2; second game Radcliffe 6, Mechanic Falls, 3; third game Mechanic Falls, 6, Radcliffe 3; fourth game Radcliffe 6, Mechanic Falls 2.
Radcliffe vs. Mohawks of Portland, Saturday, Sept. 14th. Game called at 2 p. m. This is in the series of three games. First game Radcliffe 3, Mohawks 0; second Radcliffe 3, Mohawks 5.

George Holmes of Brunswick spent Sunday with John Briggs.
Mrs. D. M. French and son have returned from Portland. Mrs. French's eyes are very much improved.
On the special train that went to Mechanic Falls last Saturday to attend the ball game there were 270 passengers.

Mr. and Mrs. Gershon P. Bickford, of Berlin, N. H. have been stopping at Falmouth Foreaside, and the children have had a run of the measles.

Mrs. Charles E. McKee has moved into the McAllister house at Steep Falls, which she recently purchased through The Dennis Pike Real Estate Agency.

Andrew M. Gordon, an attorney at law of Mechanic Falls, is stopping at Nervase and having the time of his life. He is being entertained by Alexander McLean.

Mrs. John S. Blair and son of Medford, Mass., visited Thursday till Sunday at Leon Longley's. They are at the Advent campmeeting at Mechanic Falls this week.

F. H. Lovering of West Medford arrived here Saturday night and is visiting friends and relatives. His wife has been here for some little time. He is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Noyes.

Ardale Kimball of Ipswich, Mass., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Frost. She was here some three years ago and visited Mrs. Kimball's folks and clubbed Jim Hill, and, if we remember correctly, poetry was written regarding the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. James Pledge are entertaining their nephew, William Pledge, from Lawrence, Mass. This is the first time he has been here for a number of years. He was born in Bridgton and lived there up to the time of his going to Lawrence eight years ago.

Orington Cummings, stableman, has been fitting up and re-painting his office and it is now in nice condition. Mr. Cummings claims to be out of business, but that in only his imagination. He keeps several good horses at a hostler and every thing is in apple-pie order and his teams are working every day.

Lawrence V. Bartlett and F. S. Breed of Lynn and R. L. Pritchard of Beverly are having a ten days' outing at Bass Island. Lawrence Bartlett is the son of J. P. Bartlett, Jr., of the firm of J. P. Bartlett & Co., of Boston, Norway, and Mr. Pritchard is the superintendent of the gas and electric plant of Beverly, Mass.

T. L. Heath and crew, who have been working for the past three weeks at North Waterford putting in foundations, has finished up the work and is shortly to take his crew to the H. P. Warren place and put in a foundation there. Those working with him from here are F. A. Hall, Clarence A. Merrill and Philip Sousa.

The Norway Water Co., South Paris reservoir, has been lined with cement some over 2,000 square yards, the surface being thickly covered. The work was done by A. W. Walker & Son of that town. The directors feel that they have something that will stand and be all right. The reservoir is nearly half filled with water and with a light colored background, shows the water to be as clear as crystal.

Wm. C. Leavitt and boys are having a little vacation. They started on a walking journey, the first of the week, for Stoneham and West Lovell. The boys include George and Willie. How much of the distance they will walk we will not say, but we understand there is good blueberry picking on Speckled Mountain, the main point. No doubt they will ship them in by stage. They expect to return the middle of this week.

Frank W. Gowan, Past International Lecturer and Organizer of the Order of Good Templars of Maine, will speak at the M. E. church, Aug. 29th, at 3 p. m. Mr. Gowan has had a wide experience in temperance work and is an able and eloquent speaker. May we as a people, show our interest in the temperance cause by a large attendance. On Monday evening Mr. Gowan will address the L. O. G. T. at their regular meeting. A musical program has been prepared and refreshments will be served.

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Championship Series.

Radcliffe 6; Mechanic Falls 2.

The third game for count in the Western Maine series was pulled off at Mechanic Falls last Saturday. Radcliffe opened up with a full broad side and the locals escaped a shut out by the smallest possible margin.

This affair gives Radcliffe two wins out of the three and they are hoping to capture the remaining number a little later on. "Uncle" William Leith is pretty well satisfied with his team just now and certainly has cause for great rejoicing, for his nephews are playing fast ball intelligently. They put the ginger into their acts at critical times, and bring team work to the front especially in run getting.

Radcliffe journeyed to Mechanic Falls with splendid backing. The special train of four passenger coaches left Norway at 1:45 p. m. and conveyed about 250 royal rosters to the battlefield, and these fans did excellent business along the side lines as opposition to the noisy Falls supporters. In the Norway party were doctors, lawyers, barbers, merchants, druggists, factory foremen, newspaper men, high school professors, a heavy weight cobbler, hotel proprietors, an undertaker, a park manager, two sheriffs, a real estate agent, in fact nearly every business was represented except the ecclesiastical fraternity. Possibly a Divine might have been in hiding somewhere around the large party but we doubt the existence of such a personage. The contrast would have been as great as that marvelous performance of Daniel in the lion's den and probably more dramatic.

Well, the crowd had a pleasant trip, watched an exciting ball game and have something to discuss during the week. Radcliffe stock is selling far above par and the Norway fans have the greatest confidence in the ability of "Uncle" Bill and his team to pull out at the end of this championship series an easy winner.

The Game.

Nearly a thousand people were crowded on to the stand surrounding the Mechanic Falls diamond on the Lewiston road. At 3:15 p. m. umpires Davis and Clark took their positions so the word was given to play ball.

Radcliffe went to the bat first with "Kid" Harrison up. "Kid" fanned; Clason popped up a fly to Adams; Rawson whanged to Bridgman but a fumble left the runner safe. Harley was caught just a moment later while attempting to steal second on a clean throw from Tilton to Bridgman.

It looked like a run when Mechanic Falls opened their first inning. "Uncle" Bill passed Purinton, but Wantke tapped a roller to Clason and was retired at first base, Purinton gaining second on the play; Bridgman struck out; the third Adams offered a hot one to "Kid" Harrison but Joe caught the runner on fast handling and a pretty throw to Gammon.

In the second Leith started the inning by striking out; Lanan hit to Wantke who spoiled a put out by an errant heave to first; the runner gained second on Bridgman's misplay; reached a scoring distance at third on a passed ball but remained there as both Jimmy Farnum and "Cy" Young struck out.

The second for Mechanic Falls resulted in a cipher also. Falcott, the first player up, was hit by a pitched ball but got caught off first by Lanan's perfect throw and was finally run down by Gammon after considerable arm play between Clason, Leith and Gammon; Clason went out on a high one to Young and "Uncle" Willie fanned Wescott.

Tim Gammon was the first batter up in the Radcliffe third session and nailed away a clean single, which was the first hit captured since the game opened. Freddie Lafrance tapped to Adams, anxious to make a double by the way of second base thru high into center field, Gammon beat it to third; Lafrance failed to run on the throw in but gained second later on a short passed ball. This arrangement looked mighty good for a couple of chalk marks with nobody gone. Hard luck set in and spoiled this golden opportunity for "Kid" Harrison struck out; Clason went away on a fly to Barker; Rawson flied out to Wescott in right field.

Mechanic Falls never touched first base in their third inning. Our good Uncle fanned Weston; Barker was retired by Gammon on a spectacular one hand stop; Purinton was thrown out by Uncle William to Big Tim.
Trouble commenced to brew for Percy's boys when Radcliffe started the fourth. "Uncle" Bill was the first out when he sent one into left field; Lanan gave Bridgman a pop fly from his out; thus with two gone Jimmy Farnum drew a lucky single and took second when "Cy" Young hit to Bridgman, who fumbled clumsily, giving both runners a safe berth.

Percy was apparently a trifle shy of Big Tim Gammon so gave him a pass. This covered the bases and Freddie Lafrance started in to break the dead-lock. You just bet that he did it too, for after swinging at a couple of nice looking ones without a scratch, he nailed one fair and it went like a flash through Adams into center field. Gammon and Farnum sailed home on the thirty surprise party; thus registered the first two solid runs. "Kid" Harrison closed the display by striking out for the third and last time during the afternoon.

Mechanic Falls didn't last long in their fourth. Wantke died on a sharply hit ball to Harrison, who threw perfectly to Gammon; Bridgman proved a good water so drew a pass but was forced into a double play when Adams pounded to Harrison. "Kid" sent the ball quickly to Clason at second and he relayed it on the instant to Gammon, catching nimble Percy for the third out. This was fast work and made the two runners look like a stone drag.

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The French Reunion.

Thursday, Aug. 19, was the day, and Round Pond, through the courtesy of the genial editor of the ADVERTISER, the place of the annual reunion of the French families of Norway.

The day was ideal and those who have visited "The Farm" know that the place, woods embowered and lapped by its lovely lake, is as far removed from carping care as any spot that search has yet revealed.

The party assembled early in the day, and only turned their steps toward home when the shadows of the mountain were sealing up the valley for the night. These present were:
Mr. and Mrs. Amos French.
Mrs. Emeline O. French.
Mr. and Mrs. William Kingman.
Charlotte A. Kingman.
Mr. and Mrs. Chester S. French.
Mildred E. French.
Mr. and Mrs. Alfred A. French.
Edgar A. French.
Mr. and Mrs. Leslie H. Flint.
Dorothy Emma Flint.
Eugene O. French.
Augusta H. French.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Barnes.
John A. Barnes.

This day forges another link in the chain that binds closely together one of Norway's families, a d' was the wish of all at parting that fifty years hence the company might meet there again, and the owner of the place, the man whose signature none can read, but any would enjoy to write, with his good wife might be present too.

Bidwell visits Norway Friends.

Raymond B. Bidwell who has many friends here, having stopped here last winter and worked in the shoe factory, got here Monday. He left Swansea, N. H. at 6 o'clock in the morning and arrived here at 3:45 in the afternoon.

From March until July Bidwell was travelling in Pennsylvania visiting the Radcliffe Shores. It was his first trip on the road and he made good. He expects to start over the same territory in about two weeks. He is enthusiastic over his work and says he is to sell more shoes on this trip than on his trip before. For the past month Bidwell has been a "leader" at a summer camp for boys at Swansea Lake. This is the fourth season he has stopped at this camp and he intends to go there again next year. Raymond is less than 21 years of age, and he is what can be termed "thrifty," he is a athlete of considerable note, a base ball pitcher who gets 50 p. game and a "counselor" in a boys summer camp. His time is occupied and he turns it into good money.

One of the Finest.

One of the finest entertainments of the year was given at Grange hall Tuesday evening by a volunteer company of gentlemen and ladies. The program consisted of nine pieces:

Orchestra
Mrs. Sadie Scribner, Mrs. Della Bond, mandolins; Stone, flute; Marjorie Scribner, piano
Vocal solo - Marjorie Scribner
Piano solo - Hattie Smith
Reading - Mrs. Marion Noble
Vocal solo - Ethel Nelson
Piano solo - Mrs. Edward Nelson
Vocal solo - Marjorie Scribner
Midget show
Orchestra

Every piece was a high grade of excellence and received hearty endorsement. The entertainment was for the benefit of the Union parish. Marion Monroe of Philadelphia was the teacher of the performing company of midgets.

The performers were Margaret Briggs, Emma Young, Marjorie Scribner, Hattie Smith, Marion Noble, Blanche Young, Atherton Monroe, Ora Hardy, Albert Hamlin, Charles Smith. The midgets is one of the famous musical plays from Keith's Theater and is immensely amusing. Ice cream and cake were served and dancing followed.

Geo. Brown visited friends in Otisfield recently.

Lella Watson has rented the "Ham" cottage, Lake Pennessewassee, for her vacation and is entertaining some of her friends there.

Marjorie Locke, who has been passing ten days with Florence Smardon at her summer home, at Willard, Portland, has returned.

There will be no services at the Norway Baptist church next Sunday. All services will be resumed the first Sunday in September.

E. E. Andrews left Tuesday night on a 10 days trip through New England. He is accompanied by Mrs. Andrews and Charles Boes and Warren Emery of Bethel accompanied him.

The new Grange building on Whitman street is boarded. It will make a stately looking building when finished. The contractors are rushing it right along.

Mrs. George T. Tubbs has been confined to the house several weeks because of lameness. It is in progress and they are at their tent by the lake this week.

Irrving Frost will serve from Norway on the grand jury in October at the Supreme Judicial Court at South Paris, and Howard Moulton and Olin Upton will serve as traverse jurors.

Hon. Alfred S. Kimball is one of the four delegates to attend the annual convention of the Sovereign Grand Lodge at Seattle, Wash. The delegates start the first of September and plan to be gone a month.

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We have received word from Rev. B. S. Rideout, who is having a vacation at Old Orchard, that he expects to return here the middle of next week. He claims to have been having a pretty lazy time at the sea shore. He failed to get the ADVERTISER last week, hence the postal card from him.

Returned to Visit Friends.

Mrs. Mary VanVoorhis of New Orleans, formerly Mrs. Elias Woodsum, is visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity. She has been absent several years, living in New Jersey a few years and about six years ago went to New Orleans, where her son Arthur has made it his home.

Both of her sons have lived in that city for some few years. Herbert E. was doing a prosperous electrical business, and the other son, Arthur, went there to assist him. Herbert's health was never very good, being afflicted with the phthisis, and on the 18th of last March he died with pneumonia. He left a widow and one son six years of age. The business established by him is now being conducted by his brother Arthur, who also teaches in a Trade School established by his mother. It will be remembered that Arthur is a graduate of the Boston School of Technology in the class of 1898. He is 37 years of age.

Mrs. VanVoorhis is the same in New Orleans as here, evidently doing lots of business. She has recently purchased a 30-room house and about one acre of land on St. Charles avenue, paying some \$20,000 for it. This she uses as a Trade School in which engineering, electrical science and business methods are taught by her son, Arthur, and a corps of efficient teachers. She says they are meeting with good success.

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Norway Municipal Court.

Wm. F. Jones, Judge.

Complaint was sent to Commissioner Carlton of Augusta that birds were being shot contrary to the laws at West Paris. Mr. Carlton notified warden, Charles F. Gray of Fryeburg to investigate it, which he did and arrested Alden and Raymond Nute of Fall River, Mass., who were sumnering there.

They were brought here Monday, accompanied by their father and both pleaded guilty. Alden was fined \$5 and costs amounting to \$14, a total of \$19. The fine against Raymond was suspended. The boys claimed, however, that they killed only birds that were not protected by the law. The court thought differently, however, and imposed the above fine, which was settled.

Sewell Parker of South Paris became over-charged with liquor last Sunday evening and was arrested by Officer D. Cole, and at a hearing he pleaded guilty and was fined \$5 and costs of \$11.50, a total of \$16.50, which he paid.

George Pike is doing some shingling for George Cole.

Stencil and brass works are the latest for fancy workers.

The New Idea society will meet next Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Lester Ashton.

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The gate and fence at Pine Grove are being painted.

Stella Flanders is going to New Jersey for the fall and winter.

Harry Young of Bethel is visiting his uncle, Percy A. Norval.

The top of a dead elm in front of Dr. B. F. Bradbury's has been removed.

Jennie P. Baker and Margaret Baker are spending their vacation at Old Orchard.

Dr. A. S. Staples and Tessa Thibodeau are spending the week at Mere Point.

John B. Hazen is visited by his daughter and family, Dr. and Mrs. Soule of Boston.

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SOCIETY DIRECTORY.

A cordial invitation is extended to strangers who belong to any of these organizations to visit meetings when in town.

OXFORD LODGE, F. & A. M. No. 18, meets in Masonic Hall, Friday evening, on or before full moon. Geo. L. Curtis, W. M.; Howard D. Smith, Secretary.

OXFORD LODGE, A. O. U. W. No. 29, meets in Masonic Hall, Wednesday evening, on or before full moon. Geo. E. McArthur, H. P.; Geo. E. Tubbs, Secretary.

OXFORD LODGE, No. 14, R. & S. M., meets in Masonic Hall, Friday evening, after the full moon. John C. Shepard, T. L. M. Chas. F. Barnes, Recorder.

OXFORD LODGE, No. 1, Ark Mariners, meets in Masonic Hall, Wednesday evening, after the full moon. Edwin Richardson, Ven. Pat.; Merton L. Kimball, Secretary.

NORWAY LODGE, No. 18, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall every Tuesday evening. Luther Fred Pike, N. G.; Merton L. Kimball, Sec'y.

WISNEY EXAMINERS, No. 21, I. O. O. F., meets in their hall the second and fourth Friday evenings of each month. Clarence V. Webber, G. P.; Merton L. Kimball, Sec'y.

MR. HOPE REBEKAH LODGE, No. 58, I. O. O. F., meets in Odd Fellows Hall the first and third Friday evenings of each month. Bertha Byrns, N. G.; Eva M. Kimball, Sec'y.

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All robed in garments of purest white
Throwing to me a kiss "good night."
Where are you going, sweet Blue Eyes?
I'm going away to "Rockabys."
Where are they and where like you grow,
And fairies will play with you, you know.
Baby darling, take my hand
And lead me to your Fairyland.
Only I know all dreams must be
Sunshine for you and shadow for me.
Yes shadow in a dreamland may brighten
While the sunshine of your smile,
And so my girl is, tonight I pray
To go with you just a little way.
How many happy moments
Camp Weyongonit, Denmark, Me.

BETHEL.

Mrs. Wallace Farwell and daughter of Portland have visited relatives and friends here and vicinity.
Mrs. Rose P. Haughtaling is on her way from Philadelphia to visit her native state, Maine. She visits her brother, S. C. Packard, in Ellsboro, N. Y., and her daughter and husband, Dr. and Mrs. R. K. Smith. When she arrives here she will instead of seeing the beautiful face of her loved mother visit her grave at North Paris, where rest also the forms of her father and a brother and sister. The brother was a soldier and teacher. Two sisters were teachers also. The father and his brother, Henry Packard, were successful teachers.

Grover Hill.

Milford Browne is at True Browne's for a visit.
Rosie Tyler of Mason is a guest of relatives in the place.
Gwendolyn Stearns has been with a camping party on Mt. Caribou.
Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Grover have visited friends at Rumford.
Karl Stearns has employment with the Blanchard's at their summer cottage in Mason.
Elsie Blake from New Hampshire is a guest of his sister Mrs. A. L. Whitman last week.
Alta Whitman and mother who have been at Albert Whitman's have returned to Boston.
Mrs. James A. Hammond, who was a recent guest of A. Stearns and family, has returned to Bethel village.
Mrs. George Spinyne has returned home after keeping house for her son Anson Long during his wife's absence.

FRYBURG.

Mary S. Howe has made a brief visit in Portland.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Haskell have returned to Portland.
Mary Hastings has returned from a visit at North Fryburg.
Lyman Charles has returned from New York, much improved in health.
Dr. R. F. Chase and son, Richard, have gone to their camp at Upper Kezar Falls.
Mrs. Charles Hutchings of Brockton, Mass., is at her mother's, Mrs. L. B. Hatch's.
Mrs. Mary Lord of North Gorham has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Abby Harrington.
Hattie Pike and Katherine E. Abbott spent last week at the Lake House, North Windham.
Mrs. A. M. Abbott has been staying at Friendship with her daughter, Mrs. Edward Spear of Boston.
Hattie A. Pike and Harriet Abbott have been at East Fryburg on a mineral and mountain climbing trip.
Dr. James McAlaney of Portland and his sister, Susie McAlaney have returned to their home after spending several weeks at the Hobbs.
Mr. and Mrs. Usher W. Cutts and William F. Ward of Orange, N. J., are guests at the Alumni House. Mr. Ward gave a very enjoyable organ recital in the new church on Wednesday evening of the Pomona Grange and Oxford on Aug. 30th, at the West Oxford fair grounds.
State Master C. S. Stetson, Chaplain J. B. Little and the district White Guard, New Jersey will be among the speakers.
The caterpillars of the Anesota and Heterocampa moths have made a clean sweep of the foliage of maple and beech trees in the forests of this town. In the east portion of the town they have been especially numerous, having worked within a few feet of the summit of Pleasant mountain—an elevation of over 2,000 feet.

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Alfred M. True of Bethel, has been appointed justice of the peace.

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The Caravan Gipsy Sweeps Over English Society.
The cult of the "simple life" has assumed many forms in recent years, but none has secured such a hold on all classes of society as the caravan craze.

The membership of the Caravan club has lately increased by leaps and bounds and nowadays it is quite the thing to spend the greater part of the summer months wandering from one part of the country to another in the ordinary house-on-wheels of the Romany type. The new craze is particularly popular with actors and actresses, authors and professional men and women whose ordinary vocations entail a tremendous expenditure of nervous energy. The complete transformation from their ordinary methods of life, the novelty of having to "fend" for themselves, the idyllic life of the caravan, the even to harnessing the pony and cooling the dinner, all as a marvelous tonic to their tired nervous systems.

At the recent annual meeting of the Caravan club the turnout of members was more than twice as great as any previously held in this country. All sorts of caravans are now affected by society, from the humble van converted from the actual use of the road to a place on wheels drawn by a gypsy to a place on wheels drawn by a motor and costing more than a thousand pounds.

LYNCHVILLE.

Minnie McKean is working for C. N. Eastman.
Mrs. C. N. Eastman is entertaining company.
Mrs. Hector Ross called on her cousin, Leona McKean, Sunday.
Eugene McKean is cutting the hay on his meadows.
Albert Adams is visiting at his uncle's, Perley Adams'.
Mrs. Georgia McAllister has been working for C. L. Bartlett.

Speed Madness.

In this age of the two-minute horse and the one-minute train, when a thought in New York is flashed instantly in London or to the Golden Gate, we get too impatient to expect everything to happen in "no time."
It was less than a century ago—and a century is a very short time—that the penny post and the overland stage coach sufficed.

In the new tunnel system in New York one foresees the fate of the ferry-boat. We cannot spare ten minutes to cross the Hudson when there is a three-minute way to get across.

This spirit of speed ramifies out into every walk of life.
It is one of the danger signals of the age.

Virgil spent eleven years in writing the "Aeneid."
Had he lived in this age he would, perhaps, have expected to accomplish the work in eleven days.

Balzac often spent a week's time on a single page.
Many of our modern writers—not of the Balzac class, however—dash off a serial or grind out a book in a week.

The speed mania is in the very atmosphere.
Every sane man, when he buys an automobile, resolves to break off a record by being one man who can ride and enjoy a moderate pace.

Before he owns the car a week he is speed mad; he forgets his good resolutions and chafes and frets because he cannot go faster.

It is mighty refreshing these days to take a trip "up-state" and see a few of the left-over farmers of the old school plowing their acres with a team of oxen.

Think of it, you Dakota and Minnesota farmers who plow, and harvest, and thresh by steam—an ox team and a plow in the twentieth century, and in the Empire state!

On one side of the fence an ox team plodding the furrows; on the other side a distance-defying express train! What a chapter in the evolution of methods—in the marvelous story of this restless age!

But, after all, is it worth while? Are not we burning the candle at both ends, and in the middle as well?
We are only going to live this life once and if we go as fast as we can past many of its best offerings we can't be said even to live it at all.

Slow down a little!
It isn't necessary to adopt the gait of the ox team, neither is the mile-a-minute pace sensible.

There's a happy medium, if we have enough good sense to seek it.
Hamlin Seeking a Career.

Visiting Boston in early youth his imagination was fired by a desire to become an actor.
His country doctor, his father, his determination to go on the stage. "If you want to be a fool and give up the opportunities of a great career, you can go on the stage. If you want to be sensible and make use of your great talents in a sensible calling, come home." This was what the father wrote the son and the son came home, back to the cowing hills of old Oxford, beautiful in the bloom of summer, cold and dreary in the deep snows of a Maine winter.

Somewhat the porting over of dusty law books did not appeal to Hannibal Hamlin. He longed for a more active and energetic life than the writing of briefs seemed to promise. His father having great respect for the law, he decided to put away his foolish ideas and settle down to court Blackstone. Hannibal dallied with the transit of the civil engineer and then essayed to teach school. Neither of these occupations appealed to him, although when he found the big boys of the district school unruly and requiring a firm hand he thought that the school master's life might have some redeeming qualities after all. While still unsettled as to the future, relying largely upon the family prestige and the parental purse, the day of the youth came to a sudden end and the necessity of facing the stern realities of life.

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25 cents the round trip.

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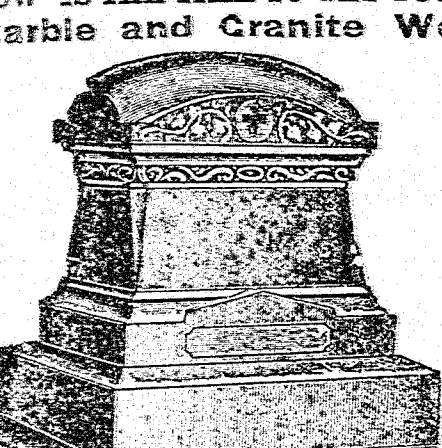
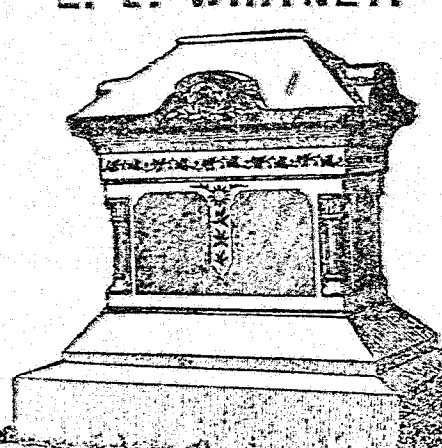

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ARRIVALS.
From Bangor, Portland and Lewiston, 10:00 a. m. Sundays, 10:05 a. m.
From Chicago, Buffalo, Montreal and Quebec, 1:35 a. m. Sundays, 5:05 a. m. 4:20 p. m.
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Alley-Stubbs.
At Hartford, Wednesday, Aug. 18, at 1 o'clock p. m., at the residence of the groom's father, Adelbert H. Alley, was solemnized the marriage of Clarence Standish Alley of Hartford and Bernice Mary Stubbs of Canton. Rev. S. C. Eaton of East Summer officiated, the double ring service being used.
The bride was given away by her sister, Mrs. Beatrice C. Russell of Livermore Falls. She was charmingly gowned in a dark blue traveling suit with white silk waist.
Ice cream and cake were served after the ceremony. The bridal couple left on the afternoon train for parts unknown. On their return they will make their home in Hartford.
The bride is the daughter of William Stubbs and Mary Virgin Stubbs, a graduate of Canton high school. She has resided in Hartford for two years. The bridegroom is the only son of Adelbert H. Alley and Mary Sampson Alley of Hartford and is an esteemed and prosperous farmer.
Three Feet Shorter.
The Gorham Mountaineer says:—It has been a favorite pastime, and yet is, to make an ascent of Mount Washington once in a while. Some have taken the roundabout way via Portland, going up the White Mountain Division of the Maine Central and climb to the clouds by means of the cog railway; but the more common route has been to take the Grand Trunk to Gorham and then proceed by equine and shanks' mare to the same destination.
Some of our people have made a dozen or more ascents, covering a period of quite a number of years, and during that time not one of them has discovered that the road has grown shorter. In fact, it has been the consensus of opinion that the way grows longer with each trip; and finally grows so wearisome that further attempts have been given up.
But now comes a government survey, who says the way has been growing shorter all the while—that is, the new survey of the mountain makes its height three feet less than that made about fifty years ago. At the rate of six feet in 100 years, there will be a Mount Washington for a good many centuries to come.
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NOTICE TO PUPILS IN WATERFORD
All common schools of Waterford will begin Monday, September 13.
All pupils who wish to attend high schools must have their names on file by the town will present themselves for examination at the Waterford High School House, Wednesday, September 1, at 2 o'clock a. m. For order of the SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEE 34-35
NOTICE OF EXAMINATION
ENTRANCE TO NORWAY HIGH SCHOOL
Pupils desirous of entering Norway High School in the fall of 1909 will present themselves for examination in the high school on Saturday, Sept. 4, 1909 at 9 a. m. L. M. FLECH, SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS. 33-35
NOTICE OF WARNING
Whereas my wife, Lena S. Herrick, has left without my consent and without just cause, where suitable provision has been made for her comfort and support; therefore, all persons forbidding credit or trusting her on my account as I shall pay no bills of her contraction after this date.
LYMAN S. HERRICK
Greenwood, August 13, 1909.

When Birds Fall Out.
Birds in their little nests agree,
And 'tis a shameful sight to see
For children of a family
To quarrel and to fight.
If we ever knew who wrote the above highly-moral sentiment, we have forgotten it. It sounds like the late Dr. Isaac Watts, author of Watts' "Hymns," a book which was more popular with our ancestors than Mr. Dooley or George Ade or Mark Twain.
Unquestionably it is true that "birds in their little nests agree," but it is also true that most of the Maine birds begin to quarrel and to fight the moment they get out of their little nests and are able to poison themselves on agile wings in the wonderful atmosphere of Maine.
Across the barb-wire fence in the pasture a flock of bobolinks, all sober-suited and songless, are crying "Spink, spink, spink," with a metallic click, such as one never hears in June, and while the old birds and the young birds hunt for and find cold grasshoppers for breakfast, they are fighting like schoolboys and making a great fluttering of wings. It is hard to determine what the cause is about, for something like a dozen birds are engaged, although it may be over an equitable division of bugs, which are everywhere and may be had by any bird for the picking up.
High on a limb of a cat spruce two male song sparrows are hissing and spitting like a pair of rival Thomas cats, varying their loud talk with frequent flights, in aloft and then skimming close to the lawn, at which time they collect with trees and arm chairs, and are not afraid to plump up against the bodies of human beings, so interested do they become in the battle royal.
From a salt box nailed to the side of the barn a pair of white-crowned sparrows are defending their unfledged young against a bevy of English sparrows, which has just come out from the village to picnic on a summer Sunday in the country.
Still higher up aloft, where the air is cooler, a pair of adult king birds is plotting crows, hawks and blackbirds hastily to cover in the woods, so the young kingbirds may be secure against attack.
And out among the reaching and rough limbs of the big willow downy woodpeckers, both males and both females and both good fighters, with flashing eyes and loud voices, as if any kind of trouble could be decided by talk.
A quiet pair of hairy woodpeckers, searching the bark of the big elms near the ground, are forced into sudden and precipitate flight by the curious Plymouth Rock chickens, which have learned to attack most anything that lives and enters their domain.
Although the kingbirds and swallows scream shrilly in their fights with crows and English sparrows, the dominant note in this conflict among birds is from the robins, both of which are fighting, in fact, in the championship belt and a prize of great value. All of which we wonder who the man or woman was who wrote:
Who killed cock robin?
"I did the sparrow,
"With my bow and arrow
I killed cock robin."
Here again you can see how criminally ignorant were all those old poets who undertook to write verses about natural history.
Neither in England or in America was it ever possible—outside of a fairy story—for any sparrow to kill any robin. In both countries the robin is a much larger bird than any species of sparrow known, and while the English sparrow, which is now common and abhorred on both sides of the Atlantic—is a heroic fighter—it cannot be placed in the same class with the robin for never can any sparrow be called more than a lightweight, while the robin is much nearer to being a welterweight.
Let nobody presume for a moment that birds live in holy peace and sweet communion one with another throughout the long and glorious summer which they enjoy at the north. Not only do the birds of prey, such as hawks and owls, know how to fight and go about armed for fighting, but a majority of our beautiful song birds and insectivorous birds can fight and fight savagely when they are put to it.
No doubt the good God who made and watches over all birds, is a Lord of love and mercy. Nevertheless He equipped a vast majority of His creatures for battling with their foes and then gave them ample opportunities to learn the art of self defence.
No doubt the time may come when the lion and the lamb can lie down together, and when the lion shall not be hungry and the lamb shall not be killed. And we cannot conceive of such a condition so long as bird nature and animal nature and human nature continue as long as they are at the present time.—(Bangor News.)
EAST HEBRON:
J. J. Fuller Dead.
J. J. Fuller, who attempted suicide by cutting his throat, is dead from the effects of the wound. Mr. Fuller was born in this town in April, 1825. For 42 years he was engaged in business as a trader at Marshall's Corner, and for 30 years he shipped more poultry and eggs to the Boston market than any other man in Maine.
When the railroad known as the Buckfield branch, now the Portland & Rumford Falls railroad, was built, Mr. Fuller had a subcontract built two miles in that party. There was a bitter fight in progress and in the town where the old farmer lived the sentiment was all against Hamilton.
"Is there no way we can get at that community?" asked Hamilton of an associate. "If we can't change the sentiment of the people there our cause is lost."
They told him the name of the man who controlled the sentiment in the town.
"The man who lost the \$5 bill," said Hamilton. He went out to see him. "I remember you well," said Hamilton. "Once I got up at daylight to find some money you had lost."
"Are you the man who did that?" demanded Hamilton. "If you be I will show you what the interest on that \$5 has amounted to in all these years."
Not only that town but many others were for Hamilton and all because he had helped an old farmer find some lost money.
EAST FRYEBURG.
Haley Neighborhood.
Dora and Mildred Nelson visited at Amashand's recently.
Frank Nutter called on his sister, Mrs. Fred Haley and family, Saturday.
John Harriman, Charles Haley and daughter Alice, called on relatives in the neighborhood, Sunday.
Mrs. Sanford Crossman and daughter Helen, who have been visiting at Wm. Pendexter's, returned home, Thursday.

Hamilton as a Nimrod.
Oxford county was a famous place for game. Young Hamilton was customary then learned to hunt and fish and many a tough old brim was brought to earth by him and his companions about the rocky hills of Oxford county. Manly, courageous, truthful and energetic, the boy grew in stature and strength. He was noted as a wrestler, among other things, and at that time wrestling was the one manly diversion by which one easily won the approbation of the community.
It is told of him how he tackled one day at the village store the town bully, a man twice his size, by occupation a blacksmith. It was a notable contest and to this day is a tradition in many a household about Paris Hill and is recounted with honest pride. The contest was quickly over. Young Hamilton had the swift, the agility and the courage and when he had thrown his burly antagonist upon his back the hills resounded with the cheers of the admiring townsfolk who marvelled at the boy's skill. Physically he easily out-distanced his companions, manly he was soon to show his superiority.
But there was a long period when the path which Hannibal Hamilton was to follow through life was uncertain and hard to determine. He went to Hebron Academy which first and best has produced many great men. He was fond of reading but not partial to studying and in vain his father, proud of his own success endeavored to stimulate the youth's ambition.
Governor Enock Lincoln lived at Paris Hill. He was a sturdy patriot of the old school and a scholar. In his library Hannibal Hamilton spent many a pleasant hour and from the lips of the governor heard the tales recounted of the early struggles of the state and nation and imbibed his fixed principles of human liberty and freedom.
BUCKFIELD.
Mildred Shaw has spent a week with friends at Long Island, Portland Harbor.
H. A. DeCoster of New York has been at the home of his mother, Mrs. Edmund DeCoster.
Mrs. Bertha Ulrich has gone to Kennebago to join her husband who has been there some time.
David Welch and wife of New York City have been at Mrs. G. W. Tilton's. Mrs. Welch was formerly Rosie Tilton.
Mrs. Walter Pike and son of Floral Park, N. Y. have been visiting Mrs. Pike's brother, Dr. C. S. Childs of this place.
Rosario Crockett and wife went to Brockton for a visit with relatives there, starting from the home of their daughter in South Paris.
Mrs. Anna Pike Buck and her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Waldron have returned from a two weeks' visit with George W. Pike of Springfield Mass.
Grace and Bertha Mayo and Mrs. Noyes of South Portland have been boarding at Mrs. Gertrude Benson's during a two weeks' vacation.
Linwood Morrill has been to the hospital for the second time on account of an injury to his hand. It is hoped that another operation may not be necessary.
Work has been started on the section of new side walk that is to be built this year, extending from the railroad crossing on Depot Street toward the village square.
D. L. Johnson and wife of Brockton, Mass., who have been spending some time in various parts of Maine came to the home of W. F. Washburn and wife for a brief visit.
Cans for the Fernald, Keene and True Co., of Turner Center have been unloaded at the station, and packing cases for the Portland Packing Co., have been hauled here from Turner, making a good deal of heavy teaming.
Rev. A. K. P. Small, for many years the pastor of the First Baptist church in Portland, and well known through the State as one of the ablest and most prominent Baptist clergymen, died Thursday morning, Aug. 18, at the home of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Sarah P. Small, Portland, after an illness of two weeks following a paralytic shock. At one time he was principal of Hebron Academy. His first pastorate was in Buckfield, at the Baptist church which he organized in 1858.
Hamilton and the Farmer.
One story is told of him up Hampden way. An old farmer came into town and somehow lost a \$5 bill. It was dark and no one seemed to care much whether the old man found it or not. Hannibal Hamilton, then a member of Congress, got a lantern and together he and the old farmer hunted everywhere for the lost money. Five meant a good deal to that man and at that time but it was gone and the farmer returned sadly to his home in a neighboring town without it.
"Give me your name and address," said Hamilton to the farmer, "and I will hunt in the morning for it."
The farmer didn't know him but told his new found friend his name. In the morning, at daylight, Hannibal Hamilton was out looking for the money among the dead leaves in the village street. He found the bill and sent it to the man without a letter or comment. Years passed, and Hamilton had bolted the Democratic ticket and the old farmer was wedded to that party. There was a bitter fight in progress and in the town where the old farmer lived the sentiment was all against Hamilton.
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On Visiting Home in the Autumn.
Down beside the rippling river,
And roaucing bright and fair,
Where in childhood I was waded
Near my home and loved ones there;
Now with flowing foot-locks,
I the last left here alone;
Yet many friends to greet me,
And loved friends I long have known.
Friends who gave me kindly welcome,
Such as made my poor heart glad;
Such as one person might wonder
Why I ever need to say;
In the grave yard on the hill,
Father, mother, sisters, brothers,
And far away one dearer still,
Who in life's fair early morning,
Left his cherished treasures here;
Left us with a soldier's blessing,
And many a bitter failing tear.
Oh so much that I remember,
Both of gladness and of woe,
In those days long gone forever,
Dear old days of "long ago."
And I cannot but remember,
Many blessings have been mine,
Though from out the shaded windows
Of my home no light with shines;
For my boys, now grown to manhood,
Sought for homes and wives and sons,
And I wondered sadly thinking,
Am I last of all my race.
I can see the autumn breezes,
That the hills with splendor crown,
Where the frost-kings laid his fingers,
Turning robins gold and brown.
Soon will pass away their brightness,
Will be coldly spread a mantle
Pure and white "the crystal snow."
So with us who now are waiting
For which I know we are due,
Those now waiting by the roadside
For setting forth on their way,
With the treasures they have gathered
In their journey here below.
We are waiting for the harvest,
Neath the winter's fall of snow.
But the springtime warm and tender,
Flushing through the wintry blight,
Comes to cheer with bud and blossom,
Taking each to life and light.
So may we on faith's bright pinions
Rise above earth's gloom and tears;
We shall know sadness of sorrow
"God shall wipe away all tears."
When our homes shall be unbroken,
When our hearts be light as day,
There shall be no pain nor crying,
For the former things have passed away;
And beside the "morn'g land,"
In the better "morn'g land,"
We shall live our faith assures us,
An unbroken happy band.

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BOLSTER'S MILLS.

Lauren Tuttle is visiting friends here. Mrs. Charlotte Harlow is stopping at Hotel Weston.

Mrs. Fred Haskell of Lynn is visiting relatives here.

The Grange held a picnic on the grounds of Daniel Caswell, Saturday. A large crowd was in attendance and a

program was given. Base ball in the afternoon.

Benjamin Moors and wife were in town this week.

Luther Stuart is stopping at his grandmother's, Mrs. Katie Stuart's.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a public meeting next Sabbath evening at the church, when the pastor will address the people.

MARKED DOWN

SHIRT WAISTS : : DRESS SKIRTS

To make room for new goods we are forced to mark down our SHIRT WAISTS and DRESS SKIRTS, thus giving you a great opportunity to save money.

SHIRTS OF CHIFFON PANAMA full flare with three stitched bands at bottom, inverted pleat in front, trimmed with buttons and loops were **\$5.98**.....now **\$4.98**

PANAMA SKIRTS extra good quality, 18 gored full flare, handsomely trimmed with self bands with buttons in fancy shape, made in navy, brown, grey and black.....were **\$7.50** now **\$5.98**, rare value

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REPP SKIRTS made in tan, grey and blue, 15 gored, extra full flare, were **\$3.98**.....now **\$2.98**. Don't fail to see these.

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GRAFTON.

Reception and Gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. O'Brien recently held a reception at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Brooks. Dainty refreshments were served and the evening passed pleasantly with games and dancing.

The following presents were received:

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Brooks—Bedspread, 1 set, consisting of carving knife and fork, butcher knife, meat saw, cleaver and can opener. Pair of shears, water set, pitcher and 1 dozen tumblers; crust, two cake plates, large Brussels rug, 7 pairs towels, 2 bureau scarfs, stand cloth, pair of pillow shams and \$10.00 in money.

Alma A. Brooks—Silver berry spoon.

Cyrus O. Brooks—Silver pickle jar and tongs.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mose—Silver pie knife.

Richard C. Mose—Pair tray cloths.

Bertha Barker—Rose bowl.

Florence E. Parker—Hand made handkerchief and card rack.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Parker—Waste basket and bon-bon dish.

Margaret Cushman—Sofa pillow.

O. W. Brooks—Sofa pillow cover.

Ernest B. Harris—Silver sugar shell.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wright and family—One dozen napkins.

Lucie Morse—Silver cream ladle.

Myra Card—Silver pickle fork.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kilgore—4 plates, 4 cups and 4 saucers.

Mr. and Mrs. Merton Kilgore—Pair towels.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wright—Pair towels.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Learned—Pair Turkish towels.

Ruth Canning—Handkerchief.

Most of the farmers in town have finished haying.

Harlan Bartlett of Hanover was in town this past week.

John Philbrook was in this section recently buying stock.

Mrs. Nettie Fleet and son Roland also Chester Jackson made a short call among relatives in town Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Ware and two children, Merle and Stanley of Everett, Mass., are on their annual visit at O. W. Brooks'.

Florence and Elmer Parker are on a visit among relatives in Randolph, N. H. They intend visiting in Hanover before returning home.

EAST BETHEL.

N. F. Swan is visiting relatives at Berlin and Milan, N. H.

Ball Bartlett of Waltham, Mass., is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Odier Jones is entertaining friends from Massachusetts.

G. F. Rich and little daughter of Berlin, N. H., have visited at A. M. Bean's.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Blake of Malden, Mass., have visited their relatives here.

M. E. Bartlett, J. M. Bartlett and Ball Bartlett went on the excursion to Berlin, N. H., the 23d.

Berte Bartlett of Framingham, Mass., has been spending a two weeks' vacation at his home here.

G. K. Hastings, J. H. Swan, O. L. Buck and C. H. Swan went on a fishing trip and enjoyed an outing last week.

J. M. Bartlett has recently had his new home painted. The body is a pretty shade of red with white trimmings.

Guests entertained at Porter Farwell's last week were Mr. Emma Brown and daughter, Ethel Brown, from Michigan; Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Hazelton and child, Mrs. Ellen Brown and Claude Goddard of Bethel; Mrs. Elvina Lane of Upton; Mrs. J. F. Russell of Middle Intervale and Nelson Mann of Hanover.

A large crowd was successfully entertained at Grange hall, Friday evening. Supper was served from 6 to 8, followed by an entertainment under the direction of the young people of Alder River Grange, after which 50 couples joined in the grand march and a nice list of dances was enjoyed. \$35 was realized.

ALBANY.

Rev. Charles Harbutt, secretary of Maine Missionary society, was in town this week.

Edith Briggs, employee of Radcliffe Shoe Co., Norway, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. W. E. Cummings.

Abel Andrews and wife went to Norway Friday, returning Saturday. They called on Mrs. Freeman Bennett, who is very ill there.

Rev. Harry S. Lowd of Bangor Seminary, who has supplied at the Congregational church this summer, preached his farewell sermon last Sunday. He has gone to his home in Andover, Mass.

Valley Road.

C. D. Conner was in Oxford recently. Schools in town will open August 30th.

Mrs. Adelle Conner is visiting friends in Greenwood.

There will be a dance at the town house, August 28th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Guptill, Harry McNally and Ben Inman have started for the fair with the merry-go-round. Mr. and Mrs. Everett McKean are tending the store while they are gone.

EAST DENMARK.

Henry O. Gustin and wife are stopping at Herbert Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Deering, Alice Deering and Alice Wiggin, visited in Minot last week.

C. E. Cobb and nearly all from his Denmark camps went to camp Katahdin in Sweden, Friday.

John Simpson of Providence, R. I., who has been stopping at Mrs. Huckle's left for home, Saturday.

Allice Deering a teacher in Chicago is taking her vacation at her brother's, A. M. Deering. Allice Wiggin of Dorchester is also a guest there.

C. E. Cobb has bought the Lowell barn of E. P. and A. D. Fessenden and will take it down and re-build on Wygonogon farm. It was built by Edmund Lowell forty five years ago.

NORTH NEWRY.

Ethel Brown is visiting at Arthur Brink's.

H. F. Thurston's mill crew are enjoying a few days' camping at Umbagog lakes.

Mrs. Chas. Robertson and daughter, Mary, have returned from a visit to Rumford.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Stearns and Mrs. Ray Davis and children are visiting relatives in town.

Margaret Walker and Florence Eaton from Oxford spent last week with friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Littlehale have gone to Phillips to attend the annual Wing Reunion.

The Newry ball team played a losing game of ball with Andover at Andover, Saturday, the 21st, score being 1 to 0 in favor of Andover. Good work was done by both teams.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh J. Chisholm and son, Hugh J. Chisholm, Jr., will sail from Paris, August 28th arriving in New York, September 5th.

WEST PARIS.

The Soldiers' Reunion.

The Soldiers' reunion, which is now a part of the past, was a very pleasant affair. There were nine of Company C, 8th Maine, and eight of Company C, 8th Maine, beside other interested people from out of town were present, about 150 people in all.

The home and grounds of Comrade W. W. Dunham were patriotically decorated with flags and bunting.

It was voted to hold the reunion next year with Joseph A. Noyes at South Paris. A photographer from Lewiston was present and took several group pictures.

The hall was prettily decorated with festoons of the national colors and six large tables with bouquets of golden rod and ferns, and an ample supply of food of which all freely partook.

There were frequent showers during the day, which annoyed some but on the whole were fortunate, especially the one at noon time which though short was quite heavy but happened when all were in the hall at the dinner.

The program for the day was pleasantly carried out and much appreciated by all. Comrade Dunham has a beautiful home in which to entertain large or small companies and at this special time was favored with visitors from Waltham, Mass., who were very helpful in the afternoon program and in serving of the dinner, so also in the latter were Dr. and Mrs. Taylor, who were visiting at J. R. Tucker's. A further account of the affair on page 7.

Augustus S. Dunham is spending a week or two with relatives in Canada.

Mrs. W. W. Gardner and four children have gone to Canada to visit relatives.

Mrs. Sarah Curtis was in Portland last week, visiting her daughter, Mrs. Frank Briggs.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Davis are spending a vacation at Camp Evergreen at Leek's Mills.

Mrs. Emily Felt of Bryant's Pond called on friends here, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Dr. Frank Taylor, wife and little daughter are spending a few weeks at J. R. Tucker's.

Mrs. Ryerson of Paris Hill spent a few days first of the week with her daughter, Mrs. Georgia Estes.

A baby girl was born in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Richardson, Monday morning, August 23d.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hammond of Gorham visited with their sister, Mrs. Charles Curtis, last Saturday and Sunday.

Samuel Ray and his granddaughter, Lila Cole, recently took a carriage drive to Waterville to visit relatives and were gone several days.

Mrs. Walter E. Cole has been receiving visits from her cousin, Mrs. Grace Haynes and little son, and Pearl Rawson of Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Porter of Dorchester, Mass., have been spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Marshall, and his relatives.

Mrs. C. H. Lane and her niece, Mrs. Gilbert, drove to Andover, Tuesday, to visit her sister there. Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert of Chicago have been spending a week at C. H. Lane's.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a union temperance meeting at the Universalist church next Sunday evening. There will be an interesting program with ladies' quartette to lead the music.

The rally concert passed off pleasantly last Sunday morning at the Baptist church, which was followed by a very interesting sermon by the pastor, which was listened to by a large, attentive audience.

Mrs. Josephine Bates has posted bills for an auction next week Saturday, Sept. 4th. She will sell household furniture of all kinds. She intends to sell her stand and make her home in the future with her son, Charles Bates.

Mrs. Kate Hammond of Paris Hill accompanied her uncle, George Jackson, of Michigan here for a visit with his nephew, W. S. Jackson, and son last Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Jackson has not been here before for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Emmons have been entertaining a nephew, Ralph Combs, of Foxboro. William True of New Gloucester, an old friend and relative by marriage whom they had not seen for fourteen years, came with Mr. Combs and spent a day or so. The niece, Sadie Davis, of Portland was here visiting them over last Sunday.

Lester Penley, who a year ago bought the store owned by P. J. Miles, has stocked it with groceries, dry goods, etc. and opened it up Wednesday at 12.20 p. m. The windows were attractively trimmed with crepe paper and the general appearance is nice and new. Mr. Penley is a popular young man and the community wishes him success.

EAST GREENWOOD.

Mrs. Chas. Bean is visiting in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Swan were at Newell Swan's on Sunday.

Ethel Anderson of Auburn has been visiting Delia Berrymont.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maxfield and family have got back from Connecticut.

Minnie Pike stopped with her sister, Celia at Geo. Jackson's, Saturday and Sunday.

Almond Whitman and daughter Edith, were at his father's, Eland Whitman's, Sunday.

Jennie Knight is teaching the school at Greenwood City and boards at Austin Hayes'.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Richardson of Auburn have been at Camp Sunset for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilkins and family of New York came in an auto a while ago to visit Mrs. Anthony Berrymont.

School began in the Tubbs district, Aug. 23d, taught by Nina Webster of North Haven. She boards with Ina Martin.

SUNDAY RIVER.

Mrs. T. J. Sargent is visiting at C. B. Foster's.

Lillian Bean has gone to Gorham to visit Annie Allen.

Mrs. Eva Bacon from Pittsburgh, N. H. is visiting her brother, A. V. Jackson.

Mrs. Lucretia Bartlett spent last week at Rumford Point with Mrs. Fred Eames.

Mrs. A. C. Baker and daughter Helen went to Portland, Sunday returning on Monday.

Peter Kyle of Portland spent Sunday with his wife at Sky Farm, returning on Monday.

Harlan Bartlett, wife and little daughter spent Sunday with his cousin, Mrs. C. D. Bean.

SOUTH WATERFORD.

Jersey Breeders to Organize.

A meeting of Jersey breeders in Oxford county, at Northern Cumberland will be held at Grange Hall, South Waterford, Thursday, Sept. 2d, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to consider the advisability of organizing a Jersey Breeders' Association for that section of the State. A picnic dinner will be served at noon and all people interested in the improvement of this particular breed of cattle are cordially invited to be present. The following program will be carried out:

Lecture, Cooperative Breeders' Associations of an association.

Address, Breeding Dairy Animals.

Prof. P. A. Campbell of Orono.

It is expected that this will prove to be a very interesting meeting, with prospects bright for the organization of an association, as the Jersey is popular in this part of the State.

Mrs. Sadie Scribner and daughter, Marjorie are guests of her mother, Mrs. Harriet Young.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Nelson and two young sons, Edward and Howard of Hallowell, Me., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Nelson.

George Ward, Beatrice Sully of New York, Frances Carlisle and Mary C. Walker of Boston guests of the Lake House attended the mid-summer ball.

Captain Granville Fernald is attending the reunion this week, of the 23d Maine Regiment at Mechanic Falls and visiting friends in several towns in that section.

Miss E. A. Fairfield of Boston is a guest of Elia Ford. The father of Miss Fairfield was formerly an associate publisher of the Maine Farmer, and for years after was connected with the New England Farmer.

Mrs. D. W. Parker at Parker cottage is visited by her mother, Mrs. Eames and her brother, Louis E. Eames of Brookline, Mass., Ethel Macnab, Brookline, Minnie and Alice Guillo of Troy, N. H.

The last of the series of mid-summer balls was given by Packards full orchestra on Friday evening, August 20. The orchestra was composed of the following players: Charles Packard, violin leader; Delmore Robinson, clarinet; Stone, piano; George Packard, coroneo; Packard, piano. About 40 couples were present.

Ice cream and cake were served in the dining hall of the Grange. Many gentlemen and ladies from other towns were present, participating in the dancing. Also many of the summer guests in the two villages and in the farm houses.

One of the happiest companies attending the mid-summer ball last week was that chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Hill Haynes consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sanford, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hoagland, Elsie Hoagland of Plainfield, N. J., Julia Stelle, Emma and Harry Connorsky of Flatfish, L. I. These are the guests of the Hayneses and with Edna Haynes the tenth member of the party they came like conquering heroes, in an imposing chariot drawn by a prancing team. The vehicle resembled a hayrack, but it was a chariot to all intents as it rolled with its joyous party into the village, signaling their approach by the sound of a trumpet and other gay demonstrations.

DENMARK.

Mr. Cobb of Boston Mass., is spending his vacation with his aunt Mrs. George Minot.

Mrs. Cross and daughter Hazel of Roxbury Mass., are guests of her brother, Harlan Lord.

Harry Perkins of East Boston has returned home after spending two weeks with his daughter, Mrs. Fred Alexander.

Sewall Perkins of Waltham returned home, Monday after spending three weeks visiting relatives and friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Smith left this week for a short trip to Dixfield, are the guests of Mr. George McIntire and family.

OXFORD.

William W. Denning.

In the recent death of Hon. William Wallace Denning, Poland has lost one of its most worthy citizens. Mr. Denning was born in Oxford, June 5, 1837 and died at East Poland, Aug. 16, aged 72 years. He was educated in the town schools of Oxford and lived the early life of a farmer's son. He learned the carpenter's trade and worked in Lewiston and Boston.

When the war broke out, Mr. Denning left the home to be the first man enlisted from Oxford county. He returned home at the expiration of his term of enlistment, but soon after re-enlisted in the 7th Maine infantry. In this regiment, he followed McClellan through the peninsula campaign and was appointed corporal. He took part in the battle of Williamsburg, where his regiment so distinguished itself. Wounded and sick he was honorably discharged and for a time followed farming. In 1867, he began work as a carpenter in South Portland, and in 1871 he was appointed at Oxford and soon became superintendent of this mill, when the company enlarged its business, he built the large mill at Hackett's mill, East Poland. For forty years he served the company and its successors in the lumber industry. He was a member of the National Fibre Board Co., loses its oldest and one of its most successful mill men.

Mr. Denning has also represented his town in the legislature. He was a member of the F. L. T., N. O. P., K. P., Masons and Patrons of Husbandry. He was a member of the Methodist church, joining at the age of eighteen.

He leaves a widow, Mrs. Marie B. Denning and three sons, Charles Denning, who for a number of years has been assistant superintendent to his father, William W. Denning of East Poland, and Ansel C. Denning, who in college was one of Bowdoin's leading athletes, and who is now superintendent of a large leatherboard mill in Hallowell. He also leaves a sister, Mrs. Keziah Burgess of Main street, Auburn, and a son-in-law, Prin. J. O. Newton of Maine Wesleyan Seminary, Kents Hill.

DIXFIELD.

J. E. Noble and wife are away on an auto trip.

Verne Rand has returned from a visit to his people at Dexter.

O. L. Newell and wife of Sumner visited at A. J. Austin's, Sunday.

Olie Payne and wife are on a ten days' trip to Portland and Harrison.

George and Chas. Rickett with their families are at Weld for an outing.

Charles Ames, wife and son are at Searsport. They made the trip in their auto.

Monroe Peabody and wife of Canton have moved into Mrs. Lovejoy's rent on High street.

EAST OTISFIELD.

Bad Place to Start a Fire.

Bert Jilison's building came near being burnt Sunday by a small blaze that was started in the barn by little David Jilison who set fire to some paper and thought it was fun to see it burn but it was discovered by Roy Pottle in time to be put out by smart work with small damage to the barn.

Lizzie Martin of Portland is visiting at C. O. Martin's.

Mrs. Joe Fortier and two sons went to Norway, Sunday.

Mrs. Peter Wood and Georgia L. Foster visited at E. A. Bartin's in Casco, Saturday.

Harry C. Chase of Showhegan spent Sunday with his mother Edna I. Fields. She had not seen her son for 15 years.

The Sunshine Society has received an invitation to be present at the Grand Army picnic to be held in Warren's grove near Oxford station Sept. 1st.

Friday the 20th several ladies called on Mrs. Lydia Spurr it being her birthday and brought a birthday cake, cards, flowers and other tokens, all of which was highly appreciated by Mrs. Spurr as she has been in poor health all summer and not able to go out any. Also the Oxford W. R. C. Ladies sent fruit and other tokens of remembrance.

NORTH FRYEBURG.

Dr. H. L. Craft spent a few days at Mt. Pond.

Stephen Charles and family spent one day last week in Fryeburg.

Viola and Leah Binford spent a few days with relatives in Chatham.

Mrs. Seth Webb of South Chatham visited relatives in the place last week.

Mrs. B. C. Webb spent one day last week at Rockwood Cottage at Lake Kezar.

Howard Allen and family of Albany are spending a few days with Mrs. Flint and family.

Mrs. Flint, Sadie and Robert have returned home after spending a week with friends in Albany.

Mrs. M. Smart of Lovell and Mrs. Haascome of Chatham visited Mrs. Merton Eastman one day.

D. H. Charles and family and Will Pitman and family are visiting relatives and friends in Canton.

Mrs. Harry Hutchins and daughter have returned home after spending the summer at the Blennerhasset Cottage at Lake Kezar.

Mrs. Hill of Stoneham, who has been spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Stephen Charles, is now visiting her daughter, Mrs. Whit Towle, Jr., at Fryeburg.

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STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE NORWAY SAVINGS BANK, Norway, as it existed on the 16th day of July, 1909.

A. S. KIVELL, President. C. H. HATHAWAY, Treasurer. GEORGE E. TUBES, Treasurer. TRUSTEES: E. E. NOLAN, F. W. SANBORN, F. C. KIMBALL, G. E. ANDREWS.

LIABILITIES.	
Deposits, \$47,932.54	
Reserve Fund, \$5,000.00	
Unallocated Profits, \$4,022.56	
Bills Payable, \$5,000.00	
Total, \$61,955.10	

RESOURCES.	
Public Funds Owned.	
County of Aroostook, 1915, R. R. Aid	\$5,000
City of Auburn, 1910, Municipal	500
City of Bangor, 1915, School	5,000
Milwaukee, 1915, School	5,000
Rumford, 1915, School	5,000
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Habits of the Brown-Tail Moth.

The habits of the brown-tail moth are pretty well known in this section by this time. The main fact to be borne in mind is regarding the nests which are made of little bunches of dried leaves or twigs which the caterpillars have been working. The nests show very plainly after the foliage has gone from the trees. These nests are composed of the little caterpillars which live over the winter and in spring emerge when about one-fourth grown and commence feeding at once upon the buds and blossoms. The young caterpillar is almost black but when full grown he becomes reddish brown with a whitish stripe on each side and two red dots on the back. The body is covered with numerous humps or tubercles bearing long-barred hairs, these hairs causing the well known rash which is a nuisance in the infested regions. The moths of both sexes are pure white but with a brown tip which gives the name to the insect. The moths may be seen about the electric light in great numbers. There is but one generation of the brown tail moth annually in New England. The insect winters as a tiny larva overwintering within a web or nest made of silk and leaves woven together tightly. The nests will vary in size usually from three to four inches in length and will contain two hundred or more caterpillars. These nests are securely attached to the tips of trees or plants on which the caterpillars were working before hibernation.

In early spring, as soon as the buds of fruit and shade trees appear, according to Howard, these one-fourth grown caterpillars emerge from their winter quarters and immediately commence feeding upon the buds and blossoms and later the foliage. In early fall the young larvae commence spinning their nests within which they pass the winter. According to the various writers the principal spread takes place through the flight of the moths just before emergence. This occurs in the night as the moths are seldom seen flying in the day time. The fact that the moth is a strong flyer accounts for its greater spread in the New England states than the gypsy moth. The direction and force of the wind at the time of flight will to a great extent determine the spread of the pest. In addition to its power of flight the insect in its larval or caterpillar state can, of course, be distributed by various means. Especially is this possible in the transporting of wood and lumber which contain the over-wintering nests of the insect.

The injury caused by this insect where established can be hardly estimated in terms of dollars and cents. The foliage of all fruit trees, especially apple and plum where available, seems to be the preferred food of the caterpillars, but they freely attack all shade trees including the oaks, maples, elm and the like. The larvae or caterpillar bears tiny hairs, barbed. When the caterpillars molt these barbed hairs are shed with the skin. Upon drying, these skins and hairs float about in the air and are a source of constant trouble to persons living in an infested district. When the caterpillars' skins, or even loose hairs, come in contact with the skin they cause a severe irritation.

With this as with other insect pests whose life histories are understood we can attack it at its weakest point. With this pest undoubtedly the easiest and most practical way of dealing with it is artificial control where established is by cutting off the over-wintering nests during the late fall, winter or early spring and destroying the tiny larvae within. This of course can be supplemented by spraying with an arsenical mixture when the larvae appear on the foliage in spring. When young, according to Howard, the larvae may be killed with the ordinary strength of Paris green or arsenic of lead, but when the larvae are full grown or larger, according to Sanderson, five pounds of arsenate of lead to 50 gallons of water is necessary to prove effective.

Rifle Team at Perry, Ohio.

Seventeen members of the State of Maine rifle team at Camp Perry, Ohio, reached their destination Thursday afternoon, Aug. 19. Friday and Saturday were taken up with team practice and the men rested Sunday. The National match opened Monday morning with practically every state in the Union represented. Each team was made up of 12 men. The personnel of the Maine party were as follows: Maj. G. M. Elliott, ordinance department, Brunswick; Capt. O. M. Smith, U. S. A. P. 2d Infantry, Roulton; Capt. M. P. Stiles, Co. D, 2d Regiment, Norway; Capt. A. H. Fields, Co. H, 1st Regiment, Lewiston; Capt. D. W. Wentworth, I. S. A. P., 1st Infantry, Sanford; Lieut. E. F. Keating, Co. L, 2d Regiment, Houlton; Lieut. D. J. Gould, Co. G, 2d Regiment, Bangor; Lieut. J. F. Lebel, Co. A, 1st Regiment, Brunswick; Lieut. Hadley, Co. B, 2d Regiment, Rumford Falls; Lieut. C. R. Bailey, Co. F, 2d Regiment, Dover; Lieut. L. H. Daugherty, Co. D, 2d Regiment, Norway; Lieut. A. A. Marston, Co. D, 2d Regiment, Norway; Color Sergt. W. C. Marston, N. C. S., 2d Infantry, Damascus; Sergt. William Smith, Co. F, 1st Regiment, Sanford; Sergt. S. H. Norris, Co. H, 1st Regiment, Lewiston; Corp. Whitcomb, Co. D, 2d Regiment, Norway; Sergt. D. F. Christie, Co. F, 2d Regiment, Dover.

Hamlin Wanted to Be a Soldier.

The boy wanted to be a soldier and tried to obtain admission to West Point. How great a soldier the nation lost because of the failure of these youthful hopes can only be surmised but although he failed to don the grey of the West Point cadet and to learn to march in the field he soon demonstrated the fact that fame and great service do not depend upon the wearing of shoulder straps. For Hamlin Hamlin failing to become a soldier became the creator of many generals and many armies. He could not himself lead the soldiers he sent into the field but from West Point he pulled the strings or helped to pull them which sent the greatest armies this nation has ever known marching and counter marching over many a bloody field.

Rumford Steel Bridge.

A warrant will be issued Friday for a special town meeting to be held in which will vote to raise \$65,000 to build the proposed new steel bridge. Also to see if the town will authorize the selectmen to dispose of the bonds to the best advantage of the town.

Dr. Daniels' Horse Renovator—for your horse—Makes Blood—gives vim, strength and health.

The Supreme Gift.

Man has no wings, and yet he can soar above the clouds; he is not swift of foot, and yet he can out-speed the fleetest hound or horse; he has but feeble weapons of attack, and yet he can slay or master all the fiercest beasts; his eye is not so sharp as that of the eagle or the vulture, and yet he can see into the farthest depths of sidereal space; he has only very feeble occult powers of intuition with his fallows, and yet he can talk around the world and send his voice across the mountains and deserts; his hands are weak things beside a lion's paw or an elephant's trunk, and yet he can move mountains and stay rivers and set bounds to the wildest seas. His dog can outmow him, outrun him and outbait him, and yet his dog looks up to him as to a god. He has erred reason in place of unerring instinct, and yet he has changed the face of the planet. Without the specialization of the lower animals—that wonderful adaptation to particular ends—their tools, their weapons, their strength, their speed, man yet makes them all his servants. His brain is more than a match for all the special advantages nature has given them. The one gift of reason makes him supreme in the world.

This is a supreme gift. Money cannot buy it. Yet it may, in an indirect way, aid in developing it. It cannot be sold for money, only its products in an indirect way.

If a rich man could step out in the market and buy brains for his children, what would be the price?

Co. F, Ninth and Co. C, 8th Maine.

In the Pines, West Paris, the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Dunham was held the annual reunion of Co. F, 9th Maine Regiment and Co. C, 8th Regiment on Friday. About twenty veterans were present, and with their families and friends the company numbered 100.

In the forenoon a short business session was held and the following officers were elected:—President, Comrade Joseph A. Noyes; vice presidents, Comrade Ira F. Murch; Comrade Isaac F. Davis; secretary and treasurer, Freeman L. Wyman.

It was voted to hold the reunion next year with Comrade Joseph A. Noyes of South Paris. About 50 couples formed in line under the trees and were led by life and drum to the beautifully laden dining tables which had been arranged in Centennial Hall. The drum was played by A. F. Warren and life by William H. Bridgman, both veterans from Buckfield. Centennial Hall was handsomely decorated in the National colors with flags. Divine blessing was invoked by Rev. L. W. Raymond, local pastor of the Free Baptist church.

A shower at the noon hour delayed proceedings somewhat, but in what was an hour the company were again assembled at the home of Comrade Dunham, a number of the village people having increased the audience. The piazza was decorated with bunting and flags and several large flags were hung about the grounds. The program of the afternoon was as follows:

- Piano duet, Lads and Lassies.....
- Remarks, Mrs. C. W. Neale and Miss Neale.....
- Remarks, Mrs. C. W. Neale and Miss Neale.....
- Singing, Marching through Georgia.....
- Remarks, with special reference to what Maine has done and furnished to the country for soldiers and statesmen.....
- Remarks, Capt. C. N. Prince, Buckfield.....
- Remarks, The Young Men of the Maine.....
- Remarks, Rev. L. W. Raymond, H. G. Brown, Esq., Portland.....
- Song, The little boy in blue.....Alice E. Barren
- Remarks.....
- Rev. Seth Benson, Comrade F. J. Noyes.....
- Comrade F. J. Noyes, Comrade J. A. Noyes.....
- Song, A Little bit of blue.....Arthur Flavin
- Song, When the drum beats.....
- Song, Messrs. Brigham and Warren.....
- Singing, Glory Hallelujah.....

A Chance to Kick.

When I see men throwing away money recklessly it hurts, because money has tremendous power for good and there are thousands of children where a little would work a miracle. I do not believe there is any spot where money is so wasted as in much of the work called "repairing the highway."

Men who set the road machine at work turning up a section of dirt, doing highway in August had better throw the money into the river for the days for successful road building come early in the season, not when hayting is completed and there's nothing for the team to do. This putting road building behind everything else is not only a mistake but a big loss of money to the town. The time to repair dirt highways is during the first half of the growing season yet August is a favorite month simply because it best accommodates those who work out their taxes.

There's no place where men pay money so grudgingly as for taxes and there's no place where they so totally fail to keep track of the expenditures as in affairs of the town. Everybody waits for the town report to March for the chance to kick. What is wanted, and it is little, is a lively interest all the year and where that exists the money appropriated for road repairs is put where and when it will do the most good. When the public is indifferent these naturally public service suffers.—[Maine Farmer.]

Oxford Pomona Grange.

The first Tuesday in September with Crooked River Grange, Bolster's Mills. Opening grange in fifth degree. Conferring fifth degree.

Music by the choir. Reading by Fredrick Robie grange. Song, J. A. Chabourne. Reading by Crooked River grange. Music by the choir. Question—"Will we plant any more sweet corn at present prices?" Opened by S. Brown of Paris grange, followed by discussion.

Song, by A. W. Weston. Reading, Alice Hamlin. Drill by Crooked River grange.

A rescript from the Law Court in an automobile accident case says. The law requires automobilists, like all other citizens, to have regard for the rights of others. It may be convenient and even fascinating to reach one's destination at the earliest possible moment, but the safety of travelers must not be sacrificed to speed. It is true that both the plain-tiff and defendant had the right to use the highway with their vehicles, but it is also true that each must exercise his right with due regard to the rights of others. Neither had a monopoly. It is no doubt a good law, and it is good sense as well.

We would like to get a photograph of the old Hubbard house on Paris Hill, the oldest photograph of the house that is in existence. Cannot some of our subscribers furnish the photograph? If you have one, please let us know about it.

Conquering Typhoid.

Diseases are being conquered one by one. Gradually the doctors are digging away the foundations of plagues and epidemics, and incidentally, the basis of their own profession. For years typhoid fever has been one of the most dreaded of diseases.

A few years ago it was a visitation of God, then it became certain that it was a disease caused by a certain germ, and now it is believed that a way has been found to vaccinate against it so as to render the subject immune to its infection.

Three men at Omaha, soldiers of the common good, and real heroes, submitted themselves to the experiments. They risked their lives in cold blood, instead of in some "glorious" charge in which the heat of battle makes bravery easy. They allowed themselves to be vaccinated with a typhoid serum. They did not know how it would affect them. But they let the experiment be made. They had a light form of typhoid, and got well.

Three weeks ago they underwent the supreme test. They drank freely of stagnant water in which millions of typhoid germs had been placed. To the ordinary man this would have been certain disease, or death. But these men found that with the effects of the serum, they had lost the power to take typhoid. Their bodies had been vaccinated with an anti-toxin to kill the germs in the water. They were immune to typhoid.

It is an important victory to medicine, as well as a fine example of heroism. Had this taken place before the Spanish-American war thousands of men who died of typhoid in camp at Chickamauga and elsewhere might now be alive. Every soldier would have been vaccinated, and even in those pestilential quarters probably few would have died.

It does not mean that we can let down in the strictness of sanitation and rely on vaccination for immunity, but that whenever people are placed in such position they can avoid danger of typhoid, they may resort to vaccination.

SOUTH HIRAM.

Wanted a Correspondent at South Hiram.

Marshall L. Wadsworth, formerly of South Hiram, now of Greeley, Colo., writes that he is enjoying the annual reunion of the G. A. R. at Salt Lake City, Utah. He was a member of Co. H, 27th Maine Regiment. It should be remembered that 330 officers of that regiment in July, 1863, (while the veteran troops were hurled to the battle of Gettysburg) volunteered after their term of service expired, to serve longer in the defence of Washington. Among them were Capt. Almond O. Smith of Parsonsfield, Cyrus G. Marr of Cornish, Marshall L. Wadsworth and Alexander Wadsworth, R. Easton Smith and William Riddell of South Hiram, who received medals of honor from Congress.

GILEAD.

Mrs. Josephine Wheeler has been to Gorham to see her sister, Mrs. Henry Ingalls.

Bert Watson has been recently appointed foreman of the Grand Trunk section crew at this place. Mrs. Isaac Estabrook and her daughter, Nina, from Lewiston, have been in town on a visit of a fortnight to her brother, T. G. Lary and family.

Mrs. Edith Swett, Mrs. Clara Coy and Mr. Grover of Errol, sisters and brother of Mrs. F. L. Ordway, and Mr. Ordway's brother, Frank from Rumford and sister from Portsmouth, N. H., have all been making a visit at the F. L. Ordway farm.

EAST BROWNFIELD.

Mrs. Samuel Marston has been visiting at Dr. C. H. Marston's.

Charles W. King of Dorchester, has been visiting at A. F. Johnson's. Cleo Wentworth of West Baldwin, is working at Rev. Percival Marston's.

Mrs. Frank J. Shum of West Medford has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Almon Johnson.

V. Eleanor King has returned to Mrs. A. F. Johnson's, after two weeks spent at Rangeley Lakes.

Mrs. Ellen Clough has returned from the Maine General hospital, where she has been for treatment.

Mrs. Edwin Sands and daughter of Weymouth, Mass., have been visiting at her sister's, Mrs. William Warren's.

Beatrice McLucas entertained her friends Saturday afternoon from two until five o'clock, in honor of her fourteenth birthday.

"Fair Linen" a Pride.

"Fair linen!" What a delightful suggestion of summery freshness the term carries with it—of cool, restful beds and tables of shining white! And since it is not the quality of the linen, but merely the spotlessness of it, that so appeals to one it ought to come within the reach of every housewife. It is no easy matter for the inexperienced, though, to produce that "crisp," "fresh" table cloth that will not wrinkle and show that hold their gloss. Still less easy is it to preserve the pristine spotlessness of table linen. It requires eternal vigilance, that each stain may be removed before it "sets."

Table linen which has been treated to a bath of raw starch and, while yet damp, ironed until the surface has the glaze of calendered writing paper, keeps clean twice as long as that which is tumbled and shaken rudely, and looks well to the last day.

Napkins must be "starched" in the technical sense of the term, although they take a finer gloss if only dipped into the thinnest of starch water, rolled up hard, heated with the flat iron, and then sure evenness of distribution, then ironed until the requisite degree of polish is produced. They look "fairer" and will resist dirt better than limp napkins. For be it remembered at each stage of laundering that dust is dirt and dirt is everywhere. It flies off from the glossy linen and it adheres to the rough-dry.

A New Industry.

The Maine Wood Reduction Company, Rumford, a new corporation in which local people are interested, and which proposes to build a plant this fall for the purpose of securing vared wood products, has already selected a site, and it is understood that another week may show important progress in the plans of the company. The officers of this company are H. W. Lyster, president; B. W. Goodwin, Mexico, vice-president; and Charles L. Stanley, Mexico, treasurer. The company intend to use beech, birch and maple, in securing wood tar, charcoal, acetate of lime and acetone.

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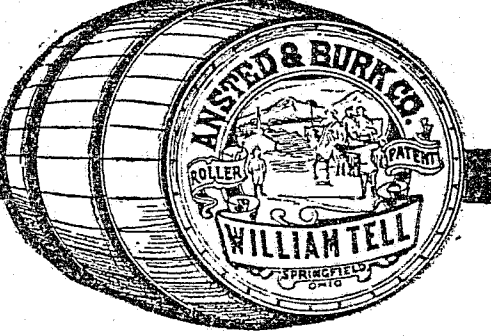
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